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CONNECTION PASSAGE AND )  
CONTAMINATION SEALS AT )  
ENDS OF THE MOTOR )  
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TRANSMITTAL OF NEW DRAWINGS TO CORRECT  
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Sir:

To correct the informalities in the drawings as noted in the draftsman's objections on PTO-948, Applicants submit herewith new drawings for this application. A complete set of ten (10) sheets are submitted. It is believed that all informalities have been corrected, with the exception of the draftsman's objection noted on Paragraph 4 of criss-cross hatching not being allowed in Figures 1 and 6-14.

It is respectfully requested that the official draftsman review this matter. According to M.P.E.P. §608.02, page 600-51, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, the drawing symbol for wire, highlighted in yellow, is a criss-cross hatching. In all instances cited in these figures, the criss-cross is believed correctly applied because of the reference to coil(s) of wire, such as copper wire, on a laminated iron core. Accordingly, the new drawings included herewith continue to use the criss-cross hatching representation.

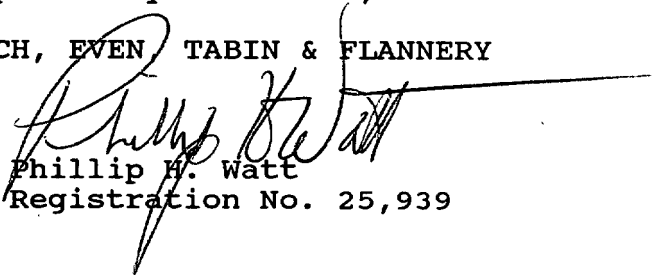
The three-month period of response set in Notice of Allowability (PTOL-37) has expired on August 5, 1992. Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.17(a)-(c) for one month, the appropriate fee being \$110.00.

Attached is a check in the sum of \$110.00 for the payment of this extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional extension fee required or to credit any overage herewith paid to the account of the undersigned, No. 06-1135.

Respectfully submitted,

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FIG. 1

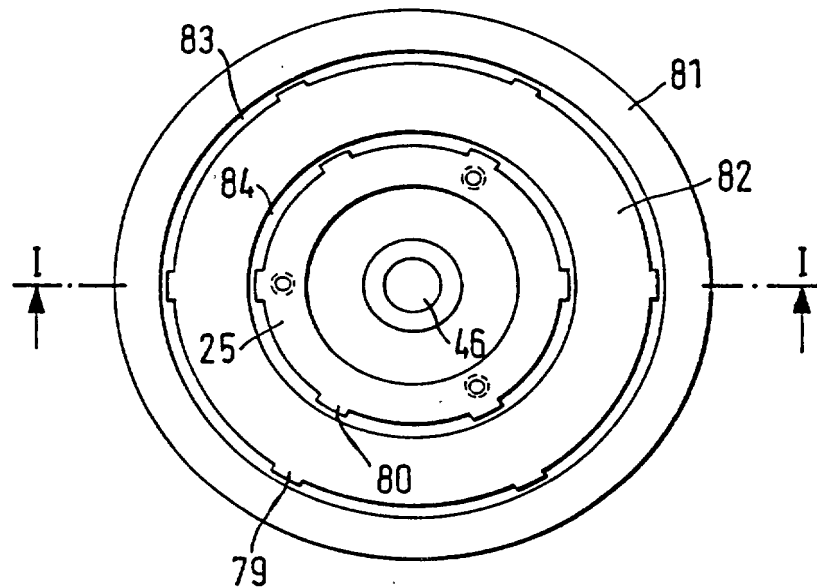
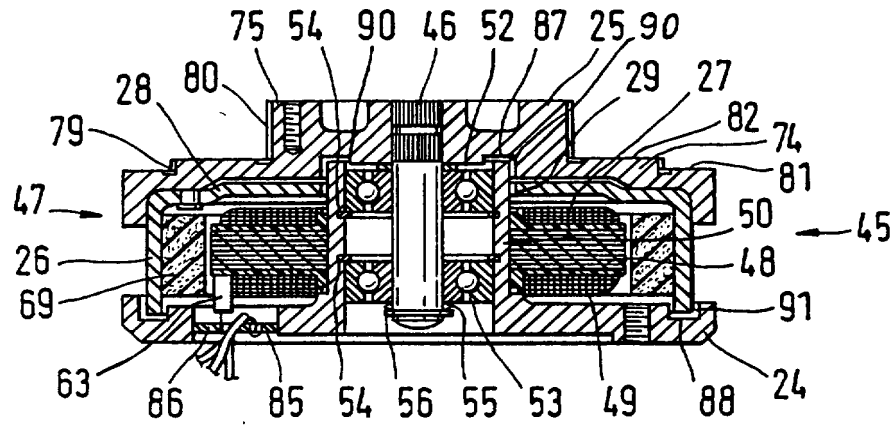
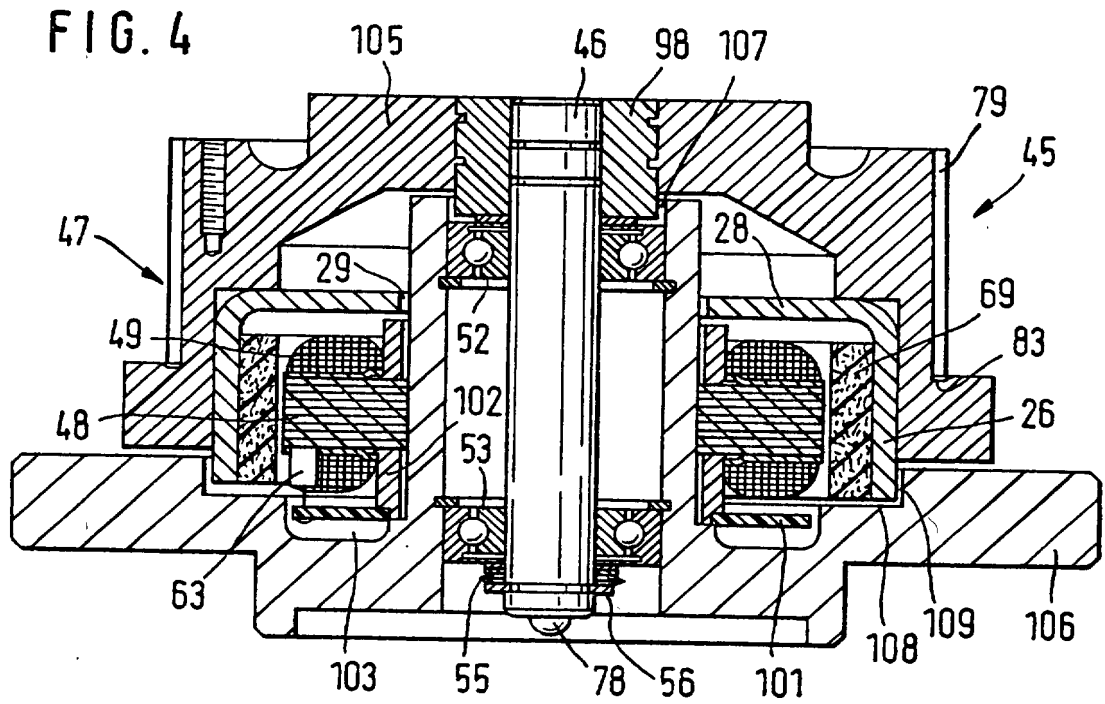
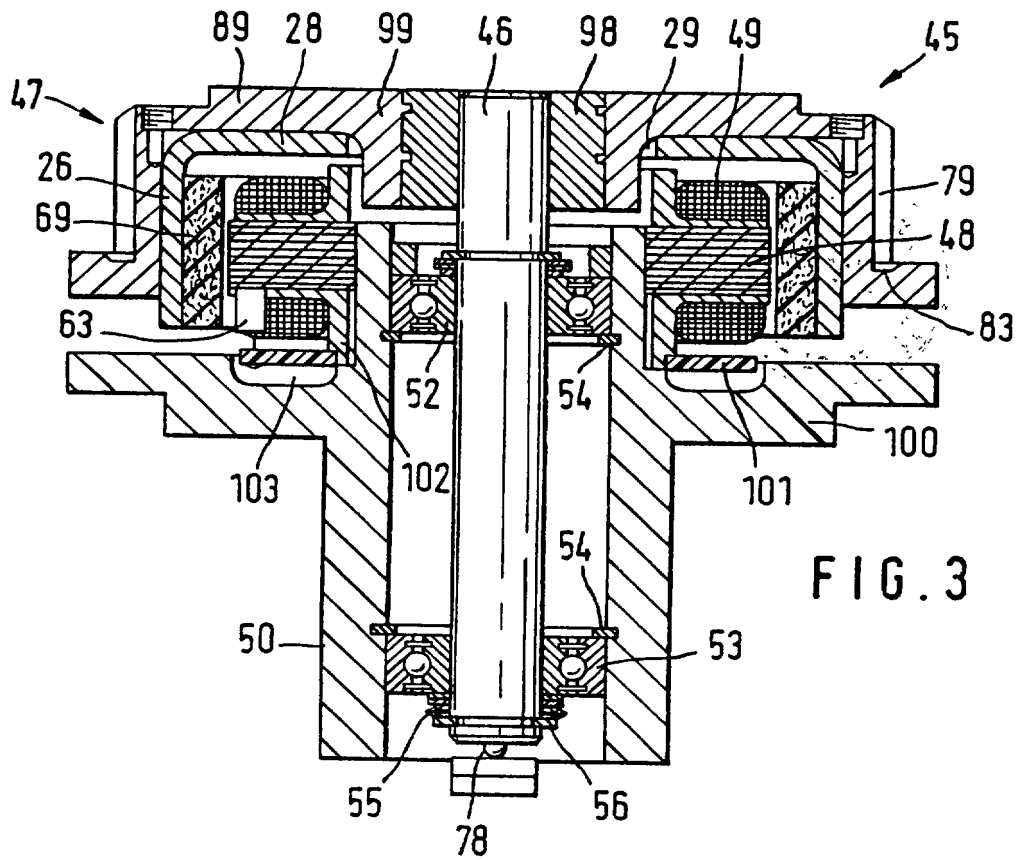


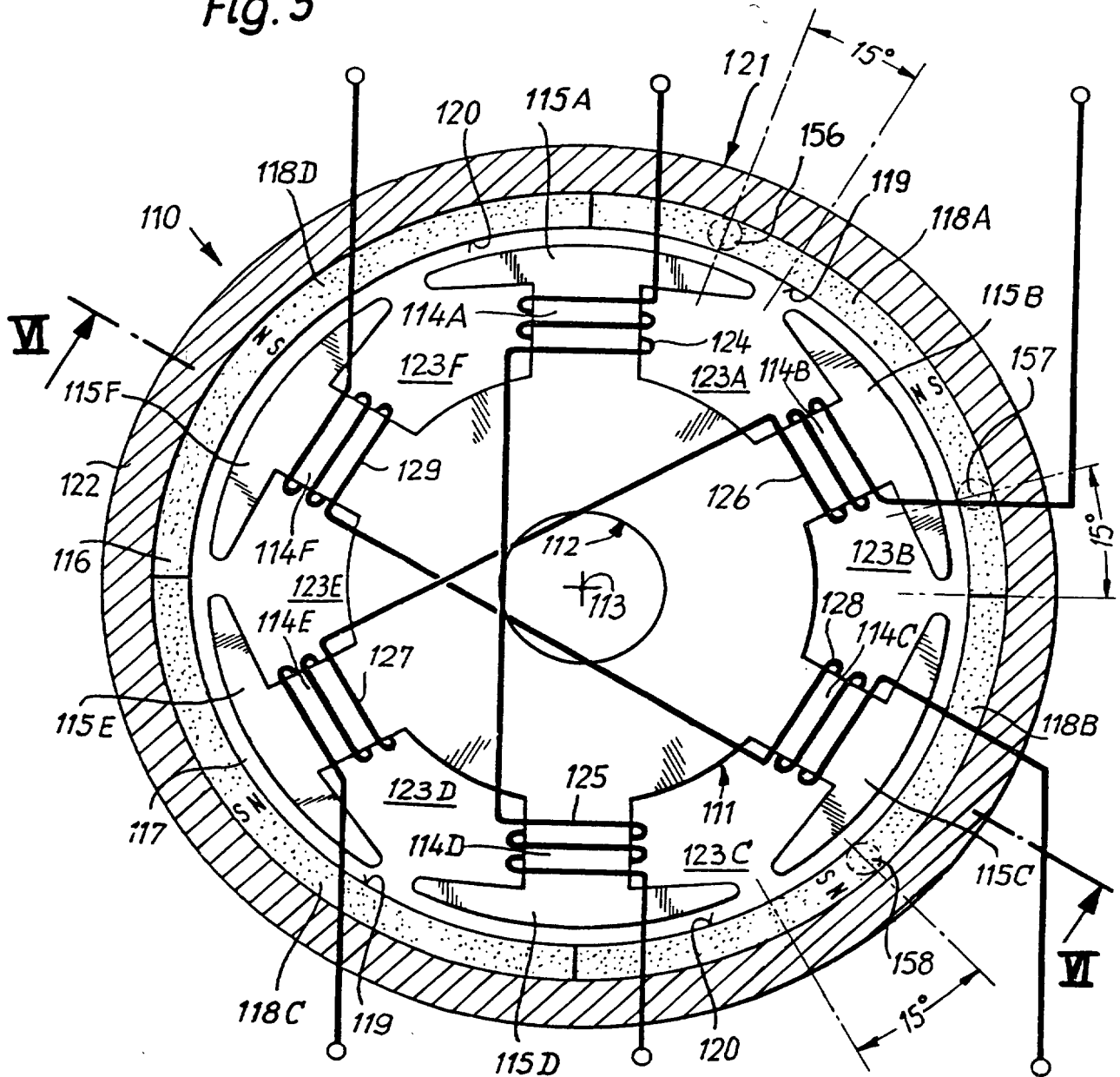
FIG. 2

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Fig. 5



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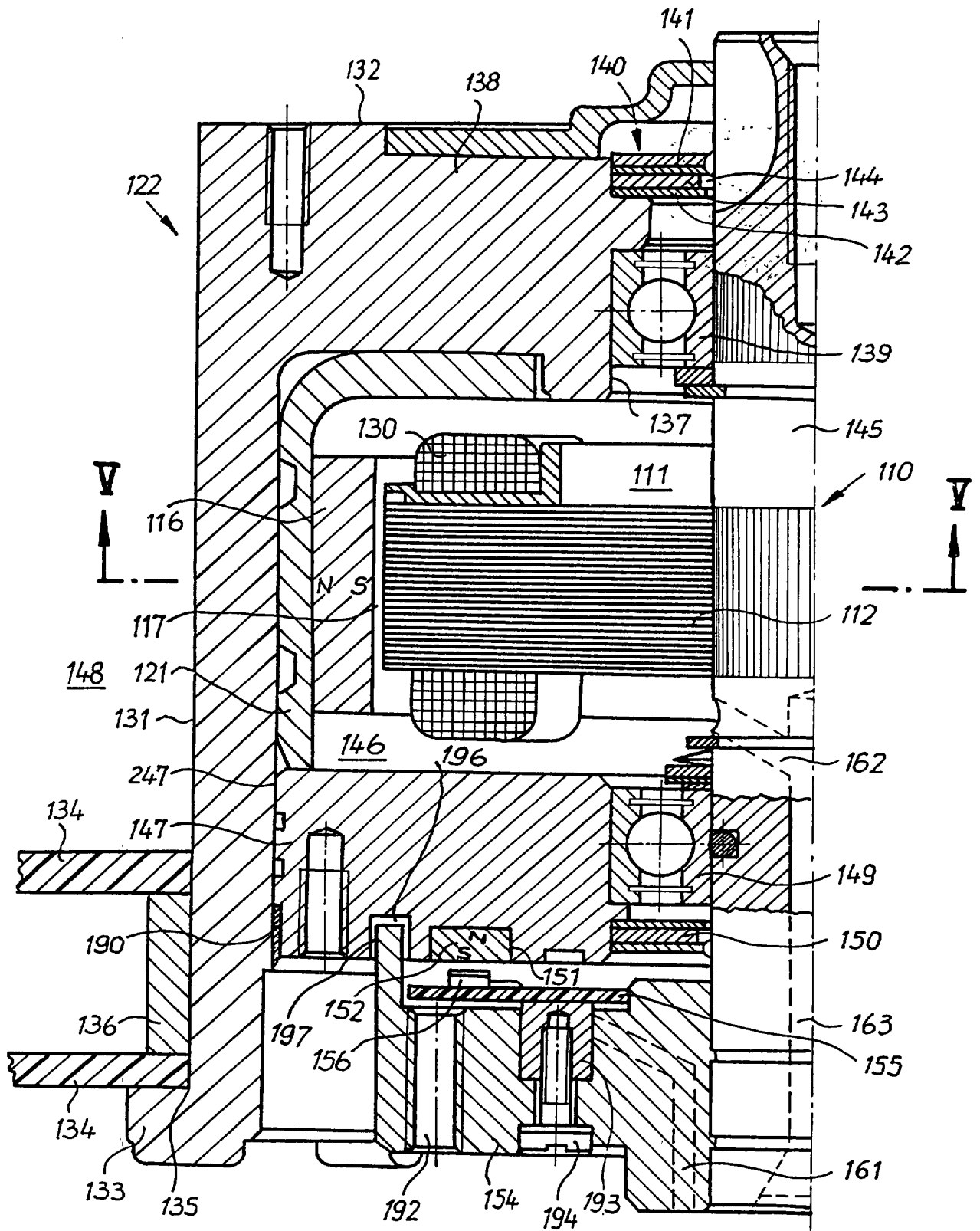


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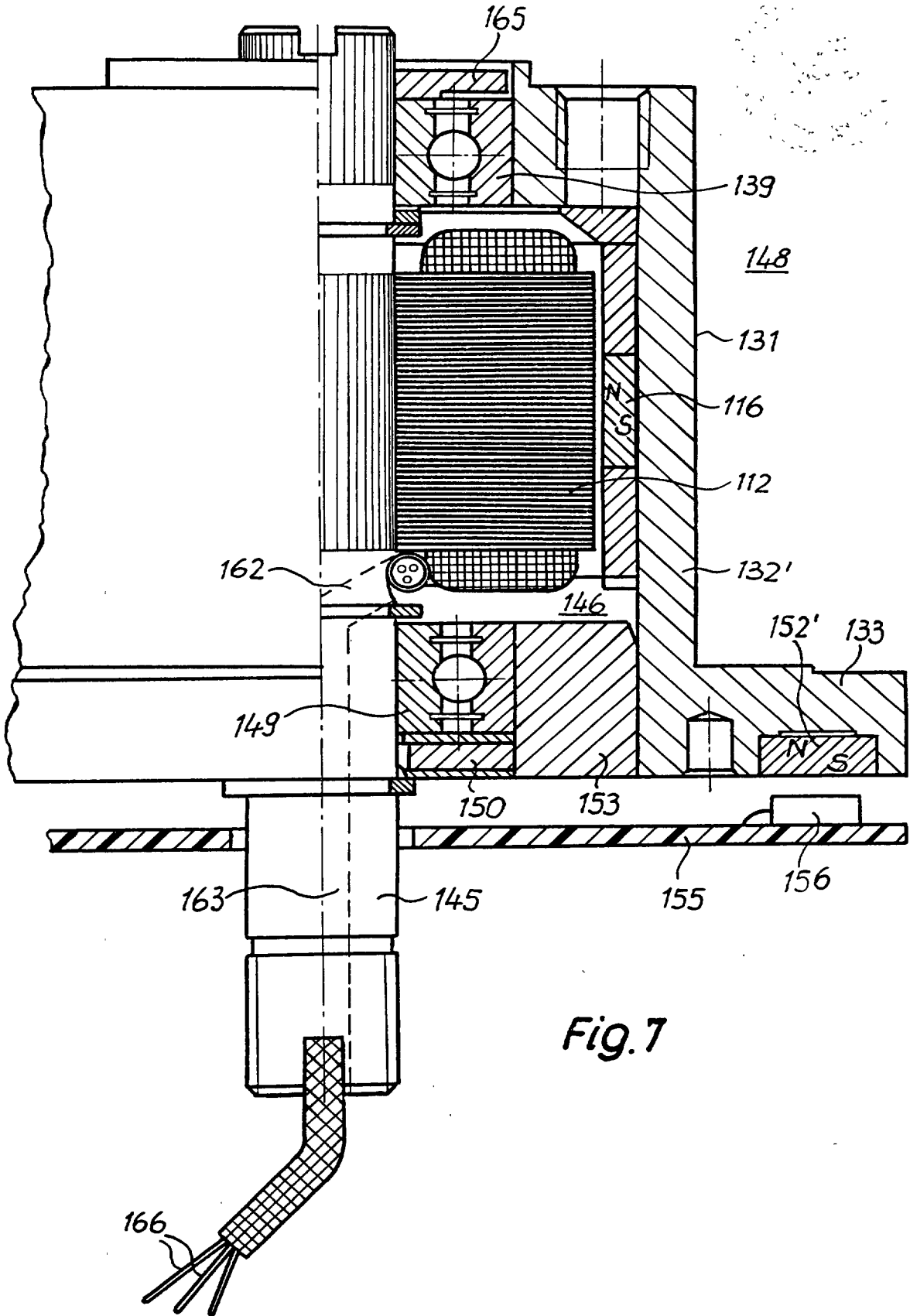


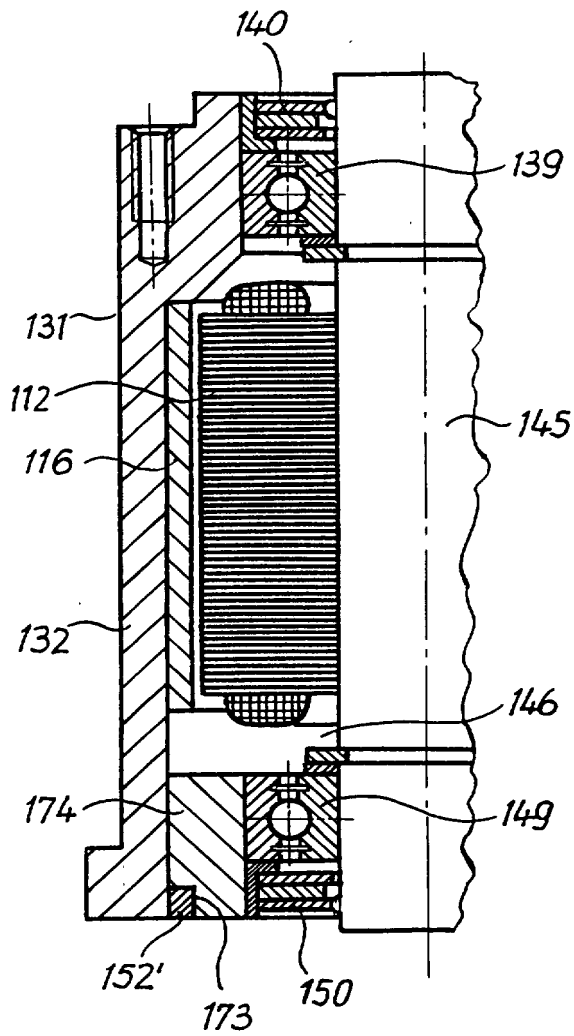
Fig. 7





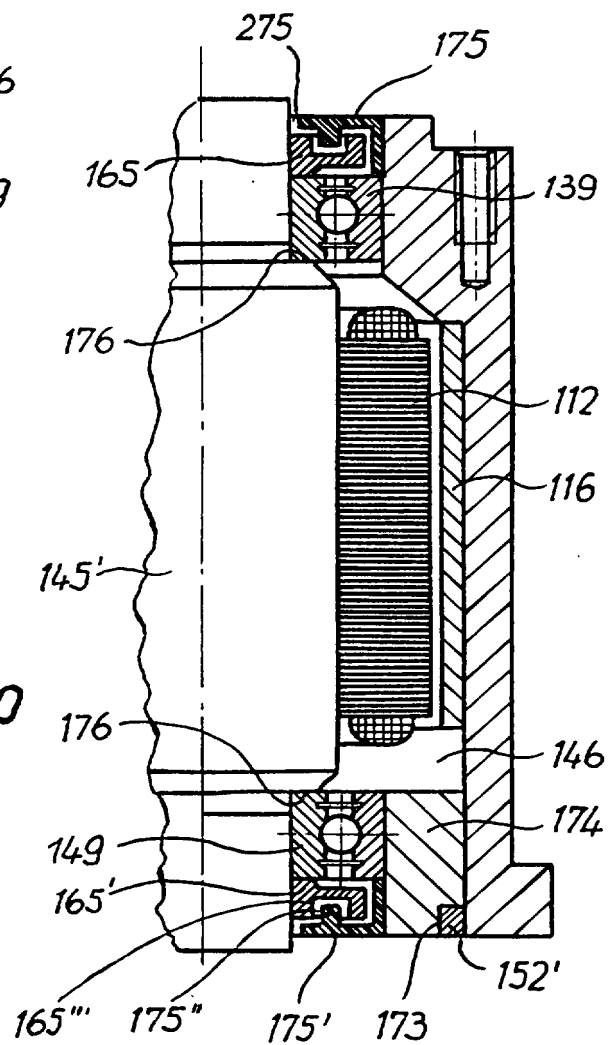
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1. This drawing is a part of a patent application for a device for measuring the thickness of a material.



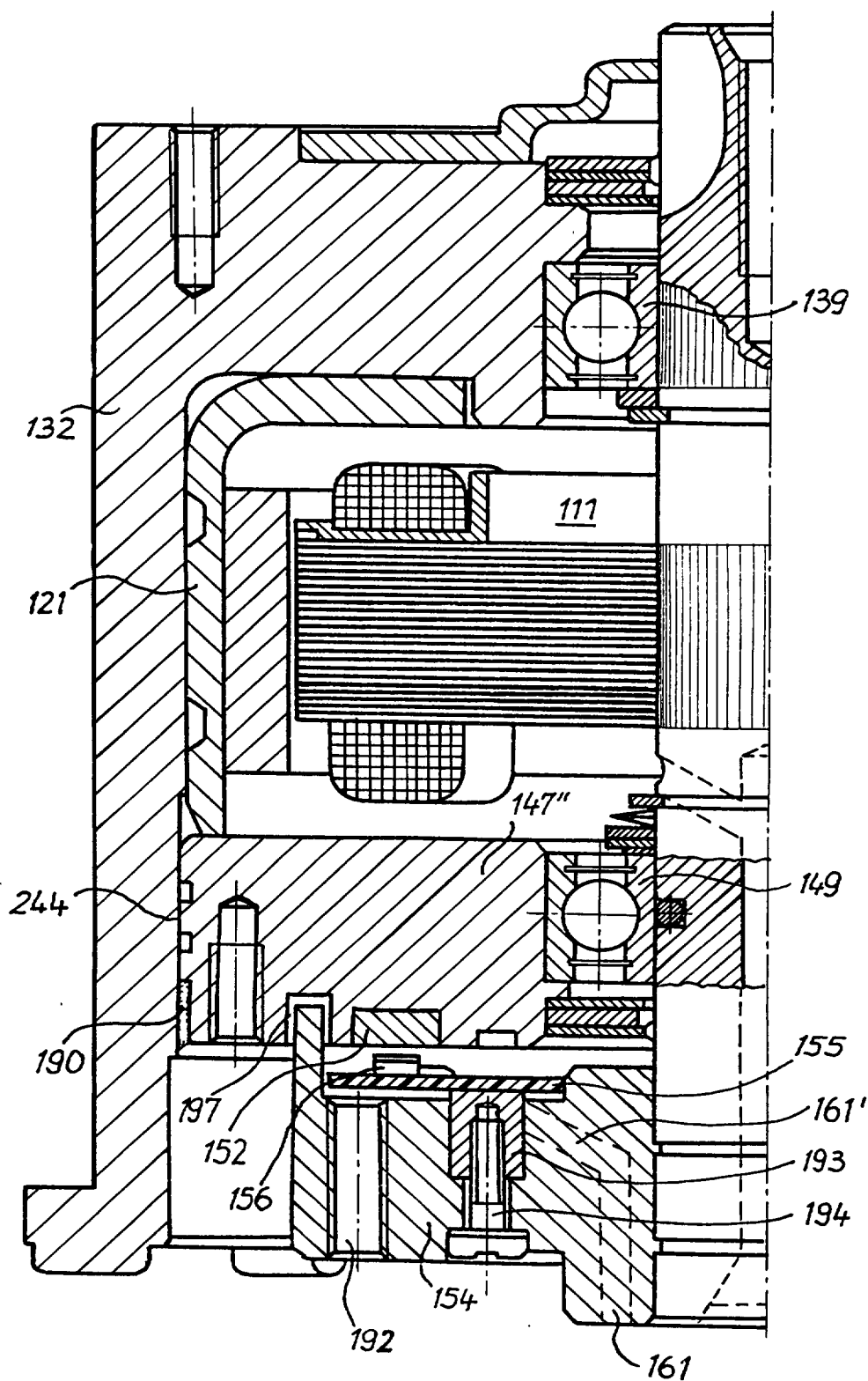
*Fig. 9*

*Fig. 10*

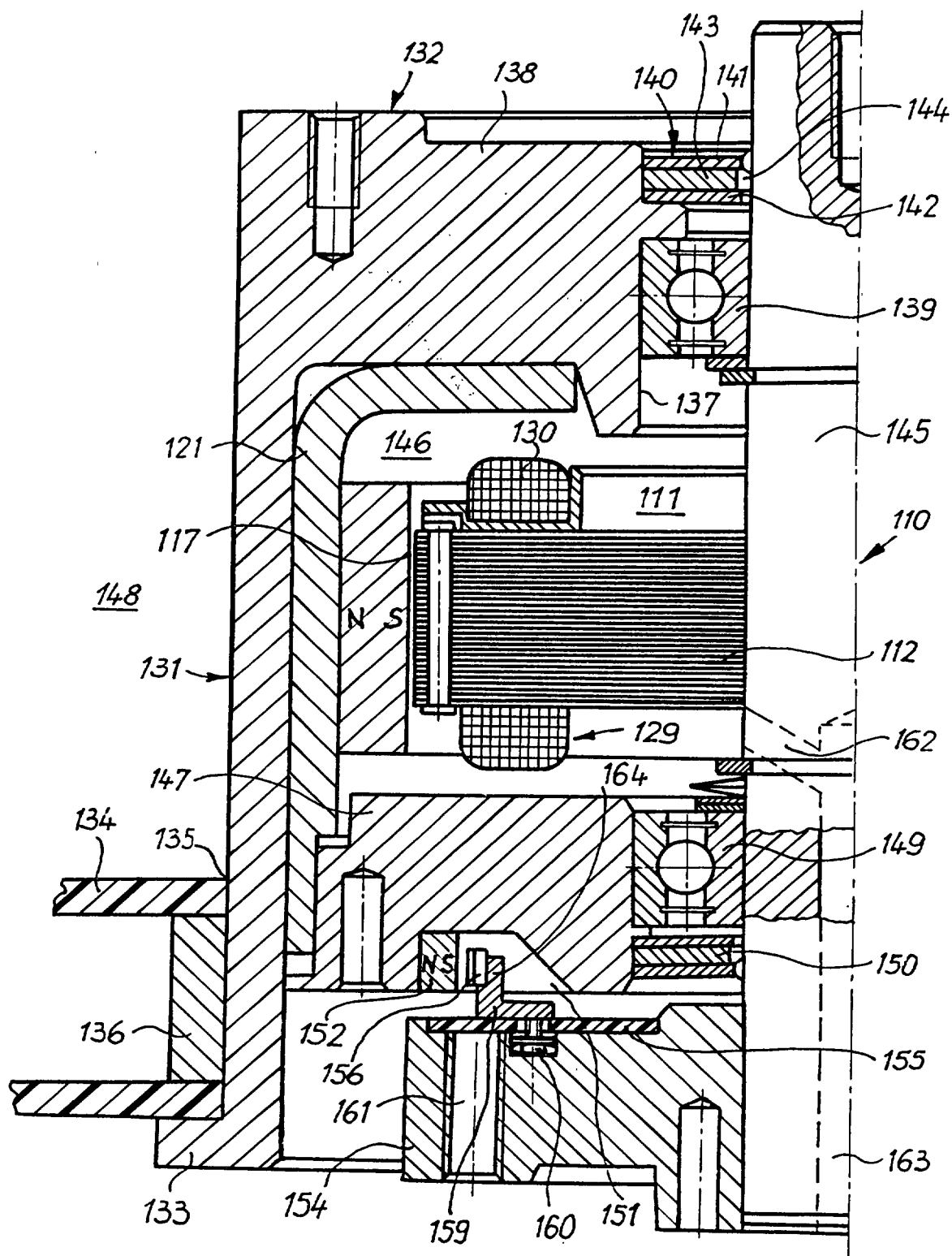




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*Fig. 14*

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The publications reviewed are the following:

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Y32.10-1967 Graphic Symbols for Fluid Power Diagrams

Y32.11-1961 Graphic Symbols for Process Flow Diagrams in the Petroleum & Chemical Industries

Y32.14-1962 Graphic Symbols for Logic Diagrams

Z32.2.3-1949 (R1953) Graphic Symbols for Pipe Fittings, Valves and Piping

Z32.2.4-1949 (R1953) Graphic Symbols for Heating, Ventilating & Air Conditioning

Z32.2.6-1950 Graphic Symbols for Heat-Power Apparatus

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